

**RAVENNA TOWNSHIP
DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA
Resolution No. 2020-03**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING TO SUBMIT THE
OPTION B QUESTION TO MAKE THE TOWN CLERK-TREASURER
POSITION APPOINTIVE TO THE TOWN ELECTORS**

WHEREAS, the position of town Clerk-Treasurer in Ravenna Township ("Town") is currently an elected office;

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes, sections 367.30 and 367.31 provides for optional forms of town government and one of the options (Option B) allows for the transition of the town Clerk-Treasurer position from an elected office to an appointed office;

WHEREAS, the adoption of an optional form of town government must be submitted to a vote of the town electors by ballot;

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes, section 367.31, subdivision 1 authorizes a town board to submit the question of whether to adopt an optional form of town government to the electors; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board determines it is in the best interests of the Town to seek authorization from the electors to make the Clerk-Treasurer position appointive.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Board as follows:

1. The question to adopt Option B to make the town Clerk-Treasurer position appointive rather than elected shall be submitted to the electors by ballot at the election to be held on March 9, 2021;
2. The question shall be worded substantially as follows: "Shall option B, providing for the appointment of the Clerk-Treasurer by the town board, be adopted for the government of the town?";
3. The Clerk-Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to work with the Town Attorney as needed to prepare the ballot and to take such other steps as are necessary to carry out the Town Board's intent to submit the option B question to the electors.

Upon being put to a vote, the following supervisors voted in favor of said Resolution:

Paul Curtis: X Carl Reuter: X Brian Riches: X

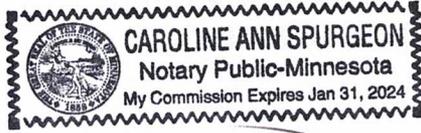
The following supervisors voted in opposition to said Resolution:

Paul Curtis: Carl Reuter: Brian Riches:

WHEREUPON, the Chairperson declared the Resolution to be duly passed and adopted this 11th day of June 2020.

Attest:

Ravenna Township,
Dakota County, Minnesota



By: Paul Curtis
Paul Curtis, Town Board Supervisor

By: Carl Reuter
Carl Reuter, Town Board Supervisor

By: Brian Riches
Brian Riches, Town Board Supervisor

Caroline Spurgeon
Caroline Spurgeon
Clerk/Treasurer